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Notice of Abandonment	Examiner	Art Unit				
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This application is abandoned in view of:						
<ol> <li>         Applicant's failure to timely file a proper reply to the Office         (a)          A reply was received on (with a Certificate of N period for reply (including a total extension of time of)     </li> </ol>	failing or Transmission dated month(s)) which expired on	<u></u> .				
(b) A proposed reply was received on, but it does						
(A proper reply under 37 CFR 1.113 to a final rejection application in condition for allowance; (2) a timely filed Continued Examination (RCE) in compliance with 37 C	Notice of Appeal (with appeal fee);					
(c) ☐ A reply was received onbut it does not constitute a proper reply, or a bona fide attempt at a proper reply, to the non-final rejection. See 37 CFR 1.85(a) and 1.111. (See explanation in box 7 below).						
(d) No reply has been received.						
<ol> <li>Applicant's failure to timely pay the required issue fee and from the mailing date of the Notice of Allowance (PTOL-8</li> </ol>		the statutory period of three months				
<ul> <li>(a) The issue fee and publication fee, if applicable, was        ), which is after the expiration of the statutory per         Allowance (PTOL-85).</li> </ul>						
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<ol> <li>Applicant's failure to timely file corrected drawings as requ Allowability (PTO-37).</li> </ol>	ired by, and within the three-month μ	period set in, the Notice of				
<ul> <li>  Proposed corrected drawings were received on (with a Certificate of Mailing or Transmission dated), which is after the expiration of the period for reply.</li> </ul>						
(b) ☐ No corrected drawings have been received.						
☐ The letter of express abandonment which is signed by the attorney or agent of record, the assignee of the entire interest, or a the applicants.						
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The decision by the Board of Patent Appeals and Interference rendered on and because the period for seeking court revie of the decision has expired and there are no allowed claims.						
7. The reason(s) below:						
Mr. SPreston Smirman confirmed no reply was filed in response to the outstanding office action mailed 4/17/08						

/San-ming Hui/ Primary Examiner, Art Unit 1617

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